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9 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**  
**FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 In re:

11 CAREER COLLEGES, INC.,

12 Debtor.

13 Case No. 24-50132-hlb  
14 Chapter 7

15 **DECLARATION OF**  
**ROBERT E. ATKINSON**

16 I, Robert E. Atkinson, hereby declare as follows:

17 1. I am over the age of 18 and have personal knowledge of the facts stated  
18 herein. I am competent to testify to the same.

19 2. I am a Nevada-licensed attorney. I am employed by, and am the owner of,  
20 Atkinson Law Associates, Ltd.

21 3. I make this declaration in support of the application entitled FIRST AND  
22 FINAL APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF  
23 EXPENSES INCURRED BY ATKINSON LAW ASSOCIATES LTD. AS GENERAL  
24 COUNSEL FOR TRUSTEE filed contemporaneously herewith (the "Application").

25 4. The Application spans the time period February 15, 2024 through January  
26 24, 2025, and also including time (marked "TBD") to be incurred in the future to obtain the  
27 relief sought in the Application ("Application Period").

28 5. The statements made in the Information and Case Status sections of the  
Application (Sections I and II) contains factual statements that are true, to the best of my  
knowledge and information and the records in this bankruptcy case.

6. ALA maintained electronic records of time expended by ALA's employees in rendering professional services to the Trustee, entries of which were made substantially contemporaneously with the rendition of those services.

7. All of the time entries contained in Exhibit 4 are accurate and reflect the professional services performed by ALA on behalf of the Trustee during the Application Period in this bankruptcy case.

8. All of the expenses contained in Exhibit 5 of the Application are accurate and were incurred by ALA on behalf of the Trustee during the Application Period in this bankruptcy case.

9. The time spent and expenses incurred by ALA during the Application Period were for work reasonably likely and necessary for the benefit of the bankruptcy estate at the time they were incurred, and necessary for the administration of the bankruptcy estate.

10. The time and expenses in Exhibits 4 and 5 for which the date is labeled 'TBD' are anticipated time and expenses associated with the adjudication of the Application itself, and are based on my experience and best estimate of the time and expenses to be incurred by ALA in that effort.

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

/s/ Robert E. Atkinson  
ROBERT E. ATKINSON